

# House Watch

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## FINAL PASSAGE

### [HB 4872](#)

(Meadows)

House Bill 4872 would add a new section to the Michigan Penal Code (MCL 750.135a). The bill would prohibit a person who was responsible for the care or welfare of a child to leave that child unattended in a vehicle for a period of time that posed an unreasonable risk of harm or injury to the child or under circumstances that posed an unreasonable risk of harm or injury to the child.

- Committee substitute H-1 was adopted
- HB 4872 advanced to 3<sup>rd</sup> Reading
- HB 4872 was passed [RC 14: 105 yes, 0 no]  
IE was ordered

### [HB 4873](#)

(Amos)

House Bill 4873 would amend the Code of Criminal Procedure to specify that leaving a child unattended in a vehicle resulting in serious physical harm would be a Class D felony against a person with a maximum term of imprisonment of 10 years. Leaving a child unattended in a vehicle resulting in death would be Class B felony against a person with a 15-year maximum term of imprisonment. The bill is tie-barred to House Bill 4872.

- Committee substitute H-1 was adopted
- HB 4873 advanced to 3<sup>rd</sup> Reading
- HB 4873 was passed [RC 15: 105 yes, 0 no]  
IE was ordered

# RESOLUTIONS

## [HR 261](#)

(Clack)

A resolution to commemorate February 2008 as Black History Month in the state of Michigan.

- HR 261 was adopted

## [HR 262](#)

(Sak)

A resolution commemorating the 10th anniversary of the Michigan International Auto Show.

- HR 262 was adopted

## [HR 263](#)

(Sak)

A resolution proclaiming February 1, 2008 as Wear Red Day in the state of Michigan.

- HR 263 was adopted